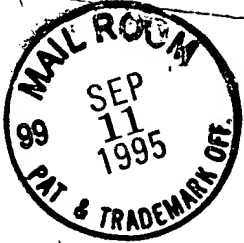


ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE



5 The invention provides a purchased commodity
accommodating and transporting apparatus having a self
scanning function and a POS system which prevent an
unjust act such as to carry out a commodity without
reading a commodity code whether it is intentional or
accidental. The purchased commodity accommodating and
transporting apparatus comprises a commodity code
reading section for reading a commodity code applied to
10 a commodity, an accommodation section for accommodating
therein a commodity whose commodity code has been read,
a weighing equipment for measuring the total weight of
commodities accommodated in the accommodation section, a
weight determination section for detecting the
15 increase/decrease of the total weight of the commodities
in the accommodation section, and an alarm generation
section responsive to a result of the detection for
generating an alarm when the total weight of the
commodities has changed without reading a commodity
20 code.